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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W., Room TW-A325  
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: *Notice of Ex Parte Communication***  
*Service Rules for Advanced Wireless Services in the 2000-2020 MHz and 2180-2200 MHz Bands, WT Docket No. 12-70; Fixed and Mobile Services in the Mobile Satellite Service Bands at 1525-1559 MHz and 1626.5-1660.5 MHz, 1610-1626.5 MHz and 2483.5-2500 MHz, 2000-2020 MHz and 2180-2200 MHz, ET Docket No. 10-142; Service Rules for Advanced Wireless Services in the 1915-1920 MHz, 1995-2000 MHz, 2020-2025 MHz and 2175-2180 MHz Bands, WT Docket No. 04-356*

Dear Ms. Dortch,

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206, Sprint Nextel Corporation ("Sprint") submits this letter summarizing a telephone conversation held on December 5, 2012, between Dan Hesse, Chief Executive Officer of Sprint, and Julius Genachowski, Chairman of the Federal Communications Commission.

During the conversation, Mr. Hesse reaffirmed Sprint's support of DISH's request that the Commission reallocate the S-Band from the Mobile Satellite Service, with only ancillary terrestrial service permitted, to a fully terrestrial mobile broadband service, provided that Sprint's two major concerns are not adversely affected: (1) that there be no diminution or weakening of the established PCS G Block interference protections; and (2) that the Commission makes the H Block fully useful for wireless broadband communications. Mr. Hesse emphasized Sprint's interest in bidding on a broadband-viable H Block to potentially combine with Sprint's 1.9 GHz G Block licenses to offer customers additional wireless broadband service. He encouraged the Commission to adopt AWS-4 service rules that will promote competitive terrestrial broadband service in both the AWS-4 and H Block spectrum.

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, this letter is being electronically filed with your office and an electronic copy is being submitted to the Commission staff listed below. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Lawrence R. Krevor  
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cc: Chairman Julius Genachowski (via email)